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As this statement is being filed prior to issuance of a final Office Action, a fee of \$180.00 accompanies this document in accordance with 37CFR §§1.97(c) and 1.17(p).

As these documents are written in a language other than English, an English language translation are annexed thereto explaining their relevancy in accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3).

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Also attached is a copy of a Japanese Office Action dated May 14, 2002 from the corresponding International Patent Application. All of the documents listed in Form PTO- 1449 appear in the Japanese Office Action.

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Early and favorable consideration is respectfully solicited.

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Reissue of Patent No.: 5,774,662  
Title: SYSTEM FOR SERVER OBTAINING  
TERMINAL ADDRESS VIA SEARCHING  
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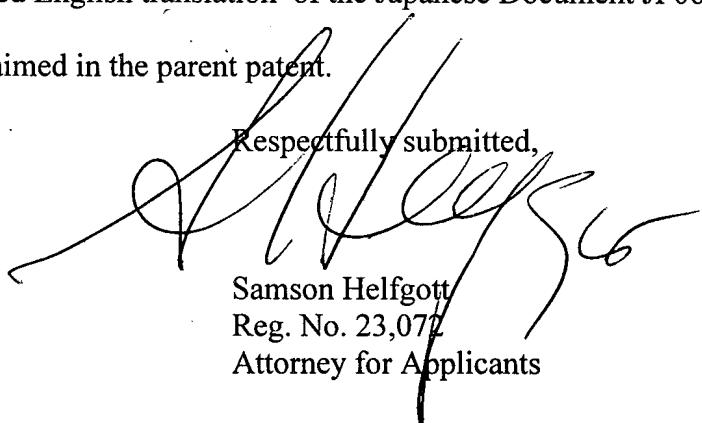
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Enclosed is a verified English translation of the Japanese Document JP06-15331  
whose priority has been claimed in the parent patent.

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